

Indiana Economic Development Corporation

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Dear Ms. McNutt:

Pursuant to IC 4-22-2-28, the Indiana Economic Development Corporation ("IEDC") has reviewed the economic impact analysis for small business associated with rule changes proposed by the Indiana Professional Licensing Agency ("IPLA") on behalf of the State Psychology Board ("Board") and contained in LSA Document 07-310, which adds 868 IAC 1.1-3-8 to establish requirements for limited scope temporary psychology permits. The rule changes would potentially affect a total of 1,612 holders of Indiana psychologist licenses. The Board anticipates that there will be approximately five applications filed for limited scope psychologist temporary permits per year.

The economic impact associated with the proposed rule consists of a \$50 application fee for a limited scope temporary psychology permit. This is the same fee that is charged for a full permit pending permanent licensure. Reporting requirements associated with the rule are minimal and consist of completing the permit application and filing a one-time report to the Board indicating where the licensee practiced within the State of Indiana during the two year period of the limited license's validity.

The IEDC does not object to the economic impact to small businesses contained in the proposed rule changes. The costs and reporting requirements associated with the rule both appear reasonable, and the rule provides an additional option for psychologists only needing to practice in Indiana for a short period of time. If you have any questions about the comments contained herein please contact me at 232-8962 or rasberry@iedc.in.gov.

Regards,

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